

STATISTICAL TABLES

OF THE

DUBLIN METROPOLITAN POLICE

FOR THE YEAR

1915.

Presented to Parliament by Command of His Majesty.



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R E P O R T.

TO THE RIGHT HON. THE CHIEF SECRETARY FOR IRELAND,

&c., &c., &c.

Metropolitan Police Office, Dublin Castle,

13th June, 1916.

SIR,

I have the honour to submit the Criminal and Statistical Returns for the Year 1915.

Indictable Offences—(TABLE I.)

The total number of indictable offences committed within the district during the year was 2,451, against 2,757 in 1914, being a decrease of 306. They may be classified as follows:—

—	Number of Crimes Committed	Number of Persons made Amenable	Number of Persons Convicted
I. Offences against the Person ...	39	45	22
II. Offences against Property with Violence ...	222	108	58
III. Offences against Property without Violence ...	2,078	1,192	581
IV. Malicious Injuries to Property ...	39	13	7
V. Forgery and Offences against Currency ...	21	12	9
VI. Other Offences ...	33	23	13
Total ...	2,451	1,393	690

Non-Indictable Offences (TABLES II. AND III.)

The total number of persons dealt with summarily for non-indictable offences during the year was 26,287, against 25,134 in 1914, being an increase of 1,153. They were disposed of as follows:—

Charge Withdrawn or Dismissed ...	...	...	...	5,859
Charge proved—Order made without Conviction ...	...	...	...	225
Sent to Prison ...	...	...	...	1,131
Sent to Place of Detention ...	...	...	...	17
Sent to Reformatory Schools ...	...	...	...	9
Fined ...	...	...	...	17,923
Admitted to Ball ...	...	...	...	221
Otherwise disposed of ...	...	...	...	1,003
Total ...	...	...	...	26,287

The total number of persons made amenable for offences during the year was 27,680, against 26,801 in 1914, viz.:—

—	Arrests.	Summons.	Total.
1914	10,181	16,630	26,801
1915	9,429	18,051	27,680
Increase ...	—	1,431	—
Decrease ...	562	—	—

Sentences of Persons Summarily Convicted.

Of the 19,755 persons summarily convicted on charges by the Magistrates, 85 were sentenced to imprisonment for 6 months and above 3 months, 148 for 3 months and above 2 months, 336 for 2 months and above 1 month, 615 for 1 month and above 14 days, 306 for 14 days and under, 57 were sent to Places of Detention, 68 were sent to Reformatories, 17,844 were fined, 250 were held to bail, and 47 were otherwise disposed of. (See Table III.).

Percentage of the Convictions of Persons made Amenable.

Of the persons proceeded against summarily, 74·7 were convicted.

Juvenile Courts.

The number of Children and Young Persons charged with Offences during the year and dealt with in Juvenile Courts was 2,151, viz.:—422 charged with Indictable Offences and 1,729 with Non-indictable Offences. They were disposed of as follows:—

Committed for Trial	...	...	...	...	...	10
Charge withdrawn or dismissed	...	...	...	...	...	1,008
Charge proved—Order made without Conviction	...	...	...	...	...	239
Otherwise disposed of	...	...	...	...	...	6
Sent to a "Place of Detention"	...	...	...	...	...	54
Sent to a Reformatory School	...	...	...	...	...	67
Fined	...	...	...	...	...	759
Admitted to bail	...	...	...	...	...	10
						2,151

Orders were made against parents or guardians, under Section 99 of the Children Act, 1908, in 42 cases to enter into recognizances. (See Table IV.)

INTOXICATING LIQUOR LAWS.

Each Inspector and Sergeant is required to specially visit licensed premises at uncertain hours during his patrol, for the purpose of detecting breaches of the Licensing Laws.

These officers paid visits during the year—

25,061 to Public Houses.

4,157 to Spirit Grocers and Beer Dealers.

Total 29,218

Offences by Licensed Persons.—140 publicans, 25 spirit grocers, and 2 beer dealers were prosecuted during the year. Total 167, as compared with 122 in year 1914, being an increase of 45. 48 cases were dismissed with caution, 40 without caution, 1 withdrawn, and 78 were convicted and fined in sums varying from £1 to £10. (See Table V.).

Drunkenness.—The charges of drunkenness, not combined with any other offence, numbered 1,842, viz., 887 males, and 955 females, against 1,807, viz., 1,067 males, and 740 females, in 1914, and 1,814, viz., 1,191 males and 623 females, in 1913.

The number arrested for being drunk and disorderly was 821, viz., 277 males and 544 females, against 847, viz., 380 males and 457 females, in 1914, and 861 viz., 451 males and 410 females, in 1913.

The number arrested for drunkenness while in charge of vehicles, &c., was 75 against 76 in 1914, and 85 in 1913.

The number arrested for drunkenness, combined with offences other than disorderly conduct, was 61, against 67 in 1914, and 81 in 1913.

The total number of persons who were drunk when arrested by the police during the year was 2,800 against 2,797 in 1914, and 2,841 in 1913.

Licences opposed by the Police.—52 applications for new, renewal, and transfer licences were opposed by the Police at Licensing Sessions. Twenty-nine were granted, and twenty-three refused. (See Table VIII.)

Previous Convictions for Drunkenness.—62 persons were convicted of drunkenness three and less than five times, 25 five and less than ten times during the year. Total 87, against 95 in 1914. (See Table IX.)

Persons under Police Supervision.

Fifty-six persons were under Police observation in Dublin during the year. Of this number 13 left for other districts in Ireland, 11 were sent to Prison, 4 left Ireland, in 1 case the Supervision was remitted by His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant, in 10 cases Supervision expired, 6 cases missing and gazetted, 1 died, and 10 were under Supervision in the District at the end of the year. (See Table X.)

Thieves and Persons of known Bad Character.

The number of thieves and persons of known bad character at large within the Police District in the month of April, 1915, was 49, against 65 in 1914, being a decrease of 16 as compared with the latter year. (See Table XI.)

HACKNEY VEHICLES, &c.

Table showing the number of Licensed Vehicles under the control of the Dublin Police in the years 1913 and 1914:—

Class of Vehicle.	Year 1914.	Year 1915.	Increase.	Decrease.
Stage Carriages	8	8	—	3
Taxi Cars	270	270	—	—
Job Carriages	150	146	—	4
Motor Job Carriages	142	121	—	21
Outside Cars	997	578	—	83
Cabriolets	579	529	—	50
Phaetons	38	21	—	17
Total	1,846	1,668	—	178

Since the year 1905 the number of Outside Cars has decreased from 997 to 578—42 per cent. The number of cabs has decreased from 577 to 529—8·2 per cent. within the same period.

An inspection of all Hackney Vehicles was held in May, and the owners of vehicles observed to be unserviceable were required to have them properly repaired.

There is a decrease of 271 in the number of summons cases, and a decrease of 11 in the number of arrests, as compared with the year 1914.

The Licences of 2 outside cars and 3 cabs were temporarily suspended.

Property found in Hackney Vehicles.—There were 174 articles of property surrendered to the Police by drivers during the year, of which number 107 were claimed. The articles included 88 umbrellas and walking sticks, a gold ring, two pairs of gold-mounted pince-nez, a silver watch, a pair of field glasses, and several coats, rugs, &c.

A half-sovereign was received by a driver in mistake for a silver coin. Summs amounting to £10 18s. 1d. were found in vehicles and surrendered to the Police.

Area and Boundary of the Police District.

The area of the Dublin Metropolitan Police District is about 36 square miles.

Population of the Police District.

The population according to the Census of the year 1911 is 416,104.

GENERAL.

The gross expenditure on the Dublin Metropolitan Police Establishment (*i.e.* Police and Police Courts), in the financial year ended 31st March, 1915, was Police, £176,783, and Police Courts, £9,017, total £185,800, of which the proportion paid out of moneys voted by Parliament was £129,929.

A Police Tax is established by 1 Vict., cap. 25, and 61 and 62 Vic., cap. 37, sec. 66, at 8d. in the £1, which yielded in that year £30,251 from the City, and £16,238 from the County (*i.e.*, the full amount less 5 per cent. paid to the Corporation and to the County Council for the collection of the Tax, and also less the certified proportion of the former Collector-General's annuity).

These sums amount to about 16·3 per cent. and 8·7 per cent., respectively, of the gross expenditure on the Establishment.

Other sums appropriated in aid of the cost of the Establishment (Police and Police Courts) in the same year amounted to £9,383, as follows:—

	£
Hackney Car and Carriage, &c., Licences ...	3,531
Fines and Fees, Police Courts ...	4,859
Publicans', Pedlars' and Chimney Sweeps' Fees ...	415
Incidental Revenue (Receipts for private services of Police, Sale of cast stores, &c.) ...	578

The pay of the Force, including Superintendents, Inspectors, Station Sergeants, Sergeants, and Constables was £112,020.

The mean rateable value of the Dublin Metropolitan Police Area for the year 1914-1915 was £1,519,022, of which £997,362 falls in the City, and £521,660 in the County.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

W. EDGEWORTH-JOHNSTONE,
Chief Commissioner of Police.

No. 20538.

DUBLIN CASTLE,
10th November, 1916.

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your communication of the 8th instant, forwarding, for submission to His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant, the Statistical Tables of the Dublin Metropolitan Police, for the year 1915.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

E. O'FARRELL.

The Chief Commissioner,
Dublin Metropolitan Police.

T A B L E S.

STATISTICAL RETURNS OF THE

TABLE I.—INDICTABLE OFFENCES.

CLASS	NUMBER OF OFFENCES known to Police	CRIMES.		APPREHENSIONS.		
				Persons apprehended		
			(a)	Total	Males	Females
Class I.—Offences against the Person.						
Murder (of persons aged above one Year) ..	1	1	1	1	1	—
Manslaughter ..	17	15	14	14	13	—
Wounding and other acts endangering life (felony) ..	1	1	1	1	—	—
Endangering Railway Passengers ..	1	1	1	1	—	—
Assault ..	13	9	8	8	—	—
Cruelty to or Neglect of Children ..	1	1	—	—	—	—
Abandoning Children under two years ..	5	—	—	—	—	—
Unnatural Offences ..	—	1	—	—	—	—
Rape ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Indecent Assault on Females ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Defilement of Girls under 13 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Defilement of Girls under 16 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Incest ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hazing ..	—	—	—	—	5	5
Class II.—Offences against Property with Violence.						
Burglary (Robbing Places of Worship) ..	2	4	4	4	—	—
Burglary ..	21	9	9	9	—	—
Housebreaking ..	81	68	66	66	6	—
Breaking into Shops, Warehouses, &c. ..	96	94	93	93	1	—
Attempting to break into Houses, Shops, Warehouses, &c. ..	17	—	—	—	—	—
Burglary and Assaults with intent to rob ..	5	2	2	2	—	—
Class III.—Offences against Property without Violence.						
Larceny of Horses, Cattle, and Sheep ..	7	—	—	—	—	—
Larceny from the Person ..	166	94	18	18	46	—
Larceny in houses to value of £5, or with intent to ..	16	3	3	3	—	—
Larceny by a Servant ..	28	26	8	8	18	—
Rebatement ..	43	27	25	25	—	—
Larceny of Post Letters ..	3	3	3	3	—	—
Other aggravated larcenies punishable by penal servitude for life, or for 14 years ..	1	1	1	1	—	—
Simple larceny and minor larcenies ..	1,038	978	976	976	302	—
Obtaining goods, &c., by false pretences ..	69	37	36	36	11	—
Other frauds ..	15	12	7	7	5	—
Reserving Stolen Goods ..	61	53	15	15	18	—
Offences in connection with Bankruptcy ..	1	1	1	1	—	—
Class IV.—Malicious Injuries to Property.						
Arson ..	30	5	5	5	—	—
Damaging Trees and Shrubs ..	1	—	—	—	—	—
Other Malicious Injuries ..	18	8	8	8	9	—
Class V.—Forgery and Offences against the Currency.						
Forgery and counterfeiting (felony) ..	5	5	5	5	—	—
Forgery (misdeemeanour) ..	3	3	3	3	—	—
Counterfeiting ..	1	1	1	1	—	—
Uttering or Possessing Counterfeit Coin ..	14	7	7	7	—	—
Class VI.—Other Offences not included in the above classes.						
Offences against Public Justice—						
Perjury ..	1	1	1	1	—	—
Public Inducement (Public Inducement) ..	9	3	3	3	—	—
Habitual Drunkenness ..	2	2	2	2	—	—
Suicide (attempting to commit) ..	20	20	8	8	12	—
TOTAL ..	2,451	1,335	958	958	427	—
GRAND TOTAL OF PERSONS APPREHENDED AND APPROACHED TO SUSPENSE.						
		1,393	965	965	427	—

The number of Larcenies, &c., committed as stated above, is inclusive of 692 cases where the

Crimes, Apprehensions, and Prosecutions.

APPREHENSIONS										PROCEEDINGS BY REMOVALS										Crimes of which the perpe- trators were detained and which no judg- ment was shown		
DISPOSAL OF PERSONS APPREHENDED					DISPOSAL OF PERSONS DEALT WITH ON SUSPICION					DISPOSAL OF PERSONS DEALT WITH ON SUSPICION					DISPOSAL OF PERSONS DEALT WITH ON SUSPICION					Crimes of which the perpe- trators were detained and which no judg- ment was shown		
Dis- charged	Trial Summary and Committed for TRAIL AND		Dismissed or Ex- empted on BAIL			Other- wise dis- posed of			Total	Males	Fe- males	Dis- charged	Trial Summary and Committed for TRAIL AND		Dismissed or Ex- empted on BAIL			Total	Males	Fe- males	Other- wise dis- posed of	
	Ac- quitted	Convict- ed	Con- victed	Con- victed	Con- victed	Con- victed	Con- victed	Con- victed					Ac- quitted	Convict- ed	Con- victed	Con- victed	Con- victed					
463	453	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(13)	(13)	(13)	(13)	Dis- charged	Ac- quitted	Convict- ed	Con- victed	Con- victed	(13)	(13)	(13)	(13)	
5	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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-	-	-	-	-	-	5	3	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26
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29	29	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1	1	7	10	10	10	10	10	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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246	217	429	429	429	429	429	429	429	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	63
2	-	-	8	8	8	8	8	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11
15	15	4	-	-	-	4	10	-	-	6	6	6	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
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9	309	273	509	164	101	-	-	-	8	7	1	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	137
				1,091	285																	
				315	213	509		184	103													
				1,097	287																	

property stolen was of less value than £s., and no person was apprehended or proceeded against.

TABLE II.—NON-INDICTABLE OFFENSES—Apprehensions and Prosecutions.

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The following firms, individually listed with permission, which have been used by the author as a source of training programs, are indicated from the Bureau, and the amount appropriated to it is the total for all such firms and all U. S. Training in Child Guidance Act funds over and above \$1,000,000—Child Guidance—Child Guidance Act, \$1,000,000; + \$1,000,000 = \$2,000,000.

STATISTICAL RETURNS OF THE

TABLE III.—CASES TRIED SUMMARILY.

OFFENCES.	Persons presented against	Charge withdrawn or disallowed.	Charge proved—Order made without consideration for penalty.				
			Dismissal	Recogni- tion	Pardon	Committed to Industrial School	Committed to county of Wiltshire
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Action (a) Industrial Offences tried summarily.							
Simple Larceny and Offences punishable as Simple Larceny (except those on the Person)	892	306	16	34	350	5	3
Larceny by Servant	21	1	1	1	1	1	1
Embezzlement	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Stealing Stolen Goods	28	28	1	1	1	1	1
Extorting Money, Passports	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Habitual Drunkenness	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Sabotage, Attempting to commit (in Dakkar)	11	2	1	1	1	1	1
Other Industrial Offences committed by Children or Young Persons	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Brawling	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Other trades	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Burglary	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Breaking into Shop, etc.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Swindling	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Vagrancy	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
TOTAL OF SECTION (a)	1,003	315	26	38	390	6	8
Action (b) Other Offences tried summarily.							
Administration of Food, Drugs, &c.	287	46	—	—	—	—	—
Assault	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Aggravated	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
On Capable	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Crimes	1,055	295	2	43	4	4	4
Battery and Wounding	55	37	—	—	—	—	—
Breath Keeping	13	1	—	—	—	—	—
Crimes to Animals	593	203	—	—	—	—	—
Creditors, Recovery of Debts	200	60	—	—	—	—	—
Diseases of Animals and Offences against	15	8	—	—	—	—	—
Drugs, Offences in relation to	1,029	325	—	—	—	—	—
Education Acts, Offences against	100	10	—	—	—	—	—
Fishery Laws, Offences against	100	10	—	—	—	—	—
Game Laws, Offences against	1	1	—	—	—	—	—
Other offences	1	1	—	—	—	—	—
Health Decree (Ireland) Act, 1900, Offences against	8	5	—	—	—	—	—
Hunting Acts, Offences against	80	37	—	—	—	—	—
Offences by Persons and Owners of Cattle	8,456	565	—	—	—	—	—
Offences and Malicious	8,300	565	—	—	—	—	—
Hunting Accidents	5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Motor Cars	660	427	—	—	—	—	—
Hunting Dogs	681	196	—	—	—	—	—
Hunting Licences	24	7	—	—	—	—	—
Intoxicating Liquor Laws, Offences against	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Intoxicating Liquor, Malicious	1,042	377	—	—	—	—	—
Intoxicating, with Aggravation	568	45	—	—	—	—	—
Offences by Licensed Persons (or their Servants)—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
(1) Possession, Distribution, etc. Licensed Persons	29	22	—	—	—	—	—
(2) Selling, Drinking, etc. Others	55	25	—	—	—	—	—
(3) Offences against Certain Retailers	72	39	—	—	—	—	—
(4) Other Offences by Licensed Persons	44	26	—	—	—	—	—
(5) Unlawful Sale of Beer	307	90	—	—	—	—	—
Other Offences against Intoxicating Liquor Laws	173	64	—	—	—	—	—
Labour Laws, Offences against	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Offences under Special Trade Acts	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Factory Acts	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Miners' Acts	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Employment of Children Acts	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Trade, Miners, &c.	538	187	—	—	—	—	—
Other Children	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Marine Shipping Acts, Offences against	379	185	—	—	15	15	15
Military and Naval Law, Offences against	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Army	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Navy	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Maritime Protection, Offences against	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Police, 1906	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Police Regulations, Offences against	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Public Metropolitan Police Act	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Town Police Acts and other Police Acts	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Summary Jurisdiction (Ireland) Act, 1881	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Supreme Courts Procedural Rules	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Postage Laws, Offences against	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
National Postal and Telegraphy, etc.,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Ministries by Postmen	26	8	—	—	—	—	—
Misconduct by Postmen	15	6	—	—	—	—	—
Postmen, Offences against	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Offences by Licensed Dealers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Special Offences by Town Councils Forum	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Prostitution (Prostitution with Both Sexes, Referring in a Forum to an Independent Minister, etc.)	240	13	—	—	—	—	—
Offences against in a Forum	36	13	—	—	—	—	—
Prostitution, Offences against	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Trade Health and other General Acts	567	36	—	—	—	—	—
Local Acts and Bye-laws	140	47	—	—	—	—	—
State Carriage and City Regulation, Offences against	449	225	—	—	—	—	—
Roads, etc., in Town, County, Vestries, &c.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Telegraph, Post, Posts, Venues, &c.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Telecommunications Act, Offences against	200	74	—	—	—	—	—
Vagrancy Act, Offences against	87	25	—	—	—	—	—
Vagrancy, Offences against	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sergeant at Arms	170	117	—	—	—	—	—
Sheriff, Offences against	10	1	—	—	—	—	—
Sergeant in Closed Province, Townships, Districts, etc.	60	13	—	—	—	—	—
Sergeants	60	6	—	—	—	—	—
Other Offences	104	39	—	—	—	—	—
Weights and Measures Act, Offences against	9	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wild Life Protection Act, Offences against	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Proof of Protection Act, 1887	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Abstinent Protection Act, 1901	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Beverage Control Act, 1906	61	33	—	—	—	—	—
For the Trading System Certificate Act & 3d. No. 7, 1906, & 10 Children Act, 1908 (including Children to a Child)	51	14	—	—	—	—	—
False Declaration to obtain Insurance Protection Allowances, 43 & 48 Vic. c. 55, & 3	100	100	—	—	—	—	—
Medical Insurance Act, 1908	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Old Age Pensions Act (Offences against)	16	11	—	—	—	—	—
TOTAL OF SECTION (b)	38,320	5,919	19	117	48	5	3
GRAND TOTAL OF SECTORS (a) AND (b)	38,420	6,174	49	136	53	9	8

(a) Standard case to French Court.

(b) Sent to Industrial House.

(c) Adjudged generally.

(d) Licensed and Badges Sealed.

(e) Re-committed to Prison.

(f) Sent to Miss Patric's Home, Blackwell Place.

STATISTICAL RETURNS OF THE

TABLE IV.—JUVENILE COURTS.—Number of Children and Young Persons

(1)	(2)	Cases not dealt with summarily		COURT PRACTICE						
		(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	
OFFENCES.		Number Prosecuted Against	Charge withdrawn or dismissed	Committed for Trial	Charge withdrawn or dismissed	Dismissed	Recognised	Probation	Committed to Juvenile School	
<i>Section (a) Indictable Offences.</i>										
Simple Larceny and Offences punishable as Simple Larceny.	349	6	-	91	10	16	109	3	5	
Larceny from the Person	...	5	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	
Larceny by a Servant	...	12	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Embezzlement	...	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	
Receiving Stolen Goods	...	5	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	
Endangering Railway Passengers	...	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	
Other indictable Offences [committed by Children or Young Persons], viz.:—										
Housebreaking	...	46	-	4	8	10	14	-	-	
Other frauds	...	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Burglary	...	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Breaking into Shops, &c.	...	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	
Assault	...	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	
Sorcery	...	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Arson	...	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Total of Section (a)	...	422	10	103	18	18	138	4	5	
<i>Section (b) Non-Indictable Offences.</i>										
Assaults:—										
On Constable	...	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	
Common, &c.	...	14	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	
Cruelty to Animals	...	17	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	
Education Acts, Offences against	...	4	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	
Highway Acts, Offences against:—										
Offences by Owners and Drivers of Carts	18	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Obstructions and Nuisances	704	-	389	-	-	-	-	-	1	
Bicycles	76	-	37	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Indecent Exposure	...	12	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	
Intoxicating Liquor Laws, Offences against:—										
Drunkenness, Simple	...	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	
Other Offences	...	132	-	60	-	6	8	-	-	
Military and Naval Law, Offences against:—										
Navy	...	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	
Police Regulations, Offences against:—										
Dublin Metropolitan Police Act	...	561	-	293	-	-	-	6	-	
Borough Bye-laws	...	58	-	31	-	-	-	1	-	
Stealing:—										
Growing Fruit, Plants, Vegetables, &c.	4	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Unlawful Possession	...	19	-	11	-	1	5	-	-	
Vagrancy Acts, Offences against:—										
Begging	...	80	-	53	-	1	10	5	2	
Found in Licensed Premises, Possessing Pidlocks, &c.	9	-	6	-	-	1	2	-	-	
Other Offences	...	12	-	7	-	2	-	-	-	
Other Offences:—										
Defence of Realm Act	...	4	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	
Total of Section (b)	...	1,729	-	893	-	11	37	5	3	

(2) Licences and Badges forfeited.

† These Totals are including both sections (a) and (b) made up of 357 Boys and 28 Girls under 14 years of age, 1,955

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charged with Offences, Nature of Offences, and Results of Proceedings.

WITH SUMMARY.

Convicted.									Additional Punishments, Orders, &c., for the same Offences.			Orders made against Parents and Guardians.			
Number Con- victed.	Imprison- ment.	Place of Detention.	Reformatory School.	Whipping	Fine.	Recognisance.	Otherwise disposed of.	Whipping.	Fine.	Recognisance.	Child or Young Person not Convicted.	Child or Young Person Convicted.			
											(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	
98	-	31	47	-	10	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	23	-
1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
16	-	7	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
49	-	1	49	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	-	-
116	-	40	59	-	10	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	31	-	-
10	-	10	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	-	49	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
314	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
39	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
58	-	1	49	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
292	-	1	-	-	290	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
26	-	-	-	-	20	-	-	(2)6	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
9	-	-	-	-	62	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	62	-	-
9	-	4	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	-	-	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
780	-	14	8	-	740	8	6	-	1	-	-	11	1	1	1

males and 57 females young persons aged 14 and under 16, and 78 males and 7 females aged above 16.

TABLE V.—Offences against the Intoxicating Liquor Laws—Nature
(a)—Offences by

OFFENCES.	CLASS 01				
	CONSUMPTION IN PREMISES.				THEFTS, GROSS AND
	With Food or Drink	With Hotel	With other Business	Wine Sellership	
Selling during Prohibited Hours, ...	12	3	41	—	—
" to Children, ...	9	—	23	—	—
" to Drunken Persons, ...	1	—	7	—	—
Permitting, on Licensed Premises, consumption of liquor contrary to tenor of Licence, ...	1	—	4	—	—
Permitting Betting or Gaming, ...	—	1	4	—	—
" Drunkenness or Illicit Conduct, ...	6	—	6	—	—
" Prostitutes or Reputed Thieves to resort, ...	—	—	—	—	—
Harbouring, &c., Police when on Duty, ...	—	—	—	—	—
Refusing or delaying to admit Police on Duty, ...	2	—	—	—	—
Other Offences, ...	12	—	6	—	—
TOTAL, ...	43	6	91	—	—

Of the 27 cases against Off Licence Holders there were 18 convictions;

(b)—Offences by other

OFFENCES.	MALES	FEMALES	TOTAL	CHARGE WITHDRAWN	CLASS 02	
					ONCE DRAINED	WITHOUT CONTENTS
Drunkenness in a Public Place, ...	835	639	1,474	—	270	3
" on Licensed Premises, ...	1	—	1	—	—	—
" and Disorderly Conduct, ...	277	544	821	—	43	—
" on Charge of Vehicles, &c., ...	75	—	75	—	—	—
" Habitual, ...	52	316	368	—	4	—
Selling or Keeping for Sale without a Licence, ...	45	247	292	—	70	15
Tipping or found on Licensed Premises at Prohibited Hours, ...	103	3	105	—	34	16
Tipping on Unlicensed Premises, ...	5	7	12	—	5	—
Other Offences, ...	9	59	68	—	8	3
TOTAL, ...	1,404	1,815	3,219	—	434	37

(a) 22 sent to Inebriates Homes; 4 placed on Probation; 1 sent to High Park Convent;

of Offence, Number of Persons tried, and the Result of Proceedings.

Licensed Persons

OFFENDER, Classification of Persons	RESULT OF PROCEEDINGS												
	CHARGE DISMISSED.			PUNISHED.									
	Total	Charge with- drawn	With Caution	Without Caution	Con- victed	Under £1	£1 and under £5	£5 and under £10	£10 and under £100	£100 and over	In- curred	Other dispos- al	To- talled in Licenses
Police Group and Star Rating	Six Days only.	Seven Days only.	Total	Charge with- drawn	With Caution	Without Caution	Con- victed	Under £1	£1 and under £5	£5 and under £10	£10 and under £100	£100 and over	In- curred
6	-	-	63	-	17	13	32	12	12	4	6	-	-
7	-	-	30	-	14	9	16	10	5	1	-	-	-
-	-	-	8	1	2	-	5	1	-	2	9	-	-
12	1	2	30	-	5	4	11	4	4	3	-	-	-
-	-	-	6	-	1	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	12	-	3	7	3	-	2	-	1	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
21	-	-	5	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	3	-	-
-	-	-	18	-	6	3	9	7	2	-	-	-	-
21	1	2	167	1	48	40	78	34	25	10	8	1	-

3 cases were dismissed with caution, and 6 without caution.

than Licensed Persons.

Offender.	OFFENCE WITH ALTERNATIVE OF DISMISSAL.						DISPENSATION WHICH ALTERNATIVE OF PLEA			Otherwise disposed of.
	Under £1,000	£1,000 and under £5,000	£5,000 and over	£10,000 and over	£1 under £10	£1 and overwards	1 Month and under 3 Months	1 Month and over 3 Months	2 Months and over	
1,108	-	104	810	273	6	2	1	1	-	4
1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
777	-	70	43	399	201	50	5	7	1	2
75	-	5	6	19	36	11	-	-	-	-
360	-	2	6	65	101	137	3	25	-	25
210	-	-	-	6	49	26	18	77	24	10
56	-	25	18	10	2	-	-	-	-	-
7	-	3	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
57	1	18	21	11	3	3	-	-	-	-
2,740	1	235	908	784	398	929	27	110	25	41(a)

4 Recognisances—without conviction; 4 Recognisances—on conviction; 6 adjourned generally.

TABLE VI.—Offences against the Intoxicating Liquor Laws.

(a)—Offences by Licensed Persons in each Police District.

District,	Total:	Return of Proceedings											
		Charge Disallowed.			Certified			Fined					
		With Citation	Without Citation	Con- firmed	Under M.	41 and under 42	43 and under 45	46 and under 48	49 and under 50	51 and over	52 and over	53 and over	Offense not performed, State disposed of,
A.	37	-	11	4	22	13	6	1	1	1	-	-	-
B.	38	-	11	12	15	5	6	2	2	-	-	-	-
C.	67	-	15	19	23	10	5	4	4	-	-	-	-
D.	19	1	5	3	10	3	5	1	1	-	-	-	-
E.	11	-	4	2	5	2	1	2	-	-	-	-	-
F.	5	-	2	-	3	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	167	1	48	49	78	34	25	10	8	1	-	-	-

(b)—Offences by other than Licensed Persons in each Police District.

District,	Males	Females	Total	Return of Proceedings											
				Charge Disallowed.			Certified			Fined with Alternative or Improvement					
				Charge withdrawn	With Citation	Without Citation	Under M.	41 and under 42	43 and under 45	46 and under 48	49 and under 50	51 and over 51	52 and over	53 and over	Otherwise disposed of
A.	201	329	530	-	6	4	520	-	17	170	171	107	48	1	3
B.	471	297	768	-	18	7	743	-	11	368	388	110	37	-	4
C.	404	831	1,235	-	284	23	943	1	122	203	237	119	68	22	90
D.	171	223	394	-	86	-	306	-	59	60	109	33	20	4	14
E.	71	58	129	-	3	3	120	-	2	62	32	15	0	-	-
F.	86	60	146	-	37	-	108	-	14	45	27	16	7	-	10
TOTAL	1,606	1,815	3,319	-	434	37	2,740	1	223	908	184	398	229	27	110
															41

Note.—Cases from the A, B, and E Divisions are tried in the Southern, those from the C and D Divisions in the Northern, and those from F Division in Hampshire Police Court.

TABLE VII.—Showing the number and description of Premises Licensed for the sale of Intoxicating Liquor in each Division of the Dublin Metropolitan Police District on the 31st December.

DIVISION	Consumption on Premises						Consumption off Premises			Licensed for Intoxicating Liquor			
	Public Houses, with Beer,			With Other Business			Spirit Grocer and Beer Dealer			Spirit Grocer and Beer Dealer			
	Public Houses only	With Beer	With Other Business	Wine House	Theatre, Canteen, etc.	Total	Spirit Grocer and Beer Dealer	Total	Spirit Grocer and Beer Dealer	Public Houses only	With Beer	Total	
A ...	3	3	133	-	-	139	37	-	8	45	133	37	81 198
B ...	32	16	124	8	4	184	39	5	2	46	162	15	1 178
C ...	43	14	122	1	1	181	59	2	18	79	156	39	2 188
D ...	16	5	100	-	1	122	40	1	4	45	105	21	1 127
E ...	-	-	77	-	3	80	41	1	1	43	75	16	- 91
F ...	3	7	30	3	-	63	16	-	13	29	55	4	13 72
TOTAL ...	97	45	626	12	9	789	232	9	46	287	706	123	23 804

TABLE VIII.—Showing the number of Applications for New, Renewal, and Transfer Licences which were opposed by the Police at Licensing Sessions, and the numbers Granted and Refused during the Year.

CLASS OF PREMISES	New Licences		Renewal Licences		Transfer Licences	
	Granted	Refused	Granted	Refused	Granted	Refused
CONSUMPTION ON THE PREMISES:						
Public House only ...	-	-	-	-	1	-
Public House and Hotel ...	-	-	-	-	-	-
Public House and Other Business ...	1	1	9	10	21	2
Wine House ...	-	-	-	-	-	-
Theatre, Canteen, &c. ...	-	-	-	-	-	-
CONSUMPTION OFF THE PREMISES:						
Spirit Grocer and Beer Dealer ...	1	-	-	3	-	-
Spirit Grocer only ...	-	-	-	-	-	1
Beer Dealer only ...	-	1	1	-	3	-
TOTALS ...	1	2	2	18	24	3

TABLE IX.—Returns of Persons Convicted Three Times and Upwards, of being Drunk, or Drunk and Disorderly, during the year ended 31st December, 1915 (so far as known to the Police).

DIVISION,	No. Convicted 3 Times and less than 5.	No. Convicted 5 Times and less than 10.	No. Convicted 10 Times and upwards.	TOTAL.
A ₁	13	4
B ₁	15	8
C ₁	20	8
D ₁	3	2
E ₁	3	3
F ₁	4	—
TOTAL ₁	...	69	25	87

TABLE X.—Persons under Police Supervision.

NUMBER OF PERSONS UNDER POLICE SUPERVISION.				DISPOSAL OF PERSONS UNDER POLICE SUPERVISION.						CONDITION OF PERSONS SUPERVISED (Number of Persons removed to other Districts)			
In district at Date beginning of Year	Entered Dis- trict during Year	Left Dis- trict	Total	Supervised by Prison Boarding or Lodging house	Released as other Dwelling	Sent to Prison	Discharged from Police Service	Left District	Dis- charged from Police Service at end of Year	On Institu- tions	Permanently away	Proceeded to Ireland temporarily but not removed for Conscript or Serviceman	In other Districts but not removed temporarily
55	36	2	56	10	1	18	11	6	6	1	10	4	11

TABLE XI.—Habitual Criminals at Large and Houses of Bad Character.

DIVISION.	NUMBER OF HABITUAL CRIMINALS AT LARGE.						NUMBER OF HOUSES OF BAD CHARACTER.					
	TOTAL NUMBER		Thieves.		Burglars.		Other Political Criminals		TOTAL NUMBER		Houses of Burglars of Stock & Goods.	
	Entered District	Left District	Entered District	Left District	Entered District	Left District	Entered District	Left District	Entered District	Left District	Entered District	Left District
A ₁	...	95	23	1	15	—	2	1	—	—	3	—
B ₁	...	12	9	10	12	—	—	—	—	—	3	—
C ₁	...	9	7	10	8	—	—	—	—	—	3	—
D ₁	...	5	3	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
E ₁	...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
F ₁	...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
TOTAL ₁	...	69	45	6	37	1	8	5	—	—	6	—

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